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Cover, design criteria and general notes

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SCOPE AND LIMITS

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Main footprint 36'-0" x 40'-0"; stories: 2 (upper floor 1,162 sq ft gross less open-to-below, see A2); framing: stick
Dimensions in feet-inches from the layout's inches; verify every dimension on site.
HOW TO READ THE DIMENSIONS
Overall and exterior dimensions are to the outside face of the exterior walls as drawn. Room sizes are clear inside sizes between drawn wall faces. Window and door sizes are width x height.
Exterior strings locate each opening from the building corner to the opening's edges. The interior wall row outside the plan marks both faces of each wall between rooms, with the clear space written in each gap where it fits.
Walls are drawn at a nominal thickness; your builder sets the final wall build-up, so check room sizes against the wall you build.
Scales apply when printed full size on 24 x 36 in paper. Do not scale the drawings; use the written dimensions.
Drawn by the BarndoVista drawing generator v6.3 (2026-10-09).
Unstamped; not an engineering design. Not for construction until reviewed by your local builder and any required licensed professional.
No structural, foundation, mechanical, electrical, plumbing or permit design is supplied.
Code references (IRC sections) are pointers for your builder, not a determination that this design complies with any code: your local code as adopted and your builder or engineer govern.

Drafting check: passed (a drafting check, not an engineering or code review).

DESIGN CRITERIA (BUILDER FILLS IN)

Ground snow load and code edition	
Ultimate design wind speed (mph) and exposure	
Seismic design category	
Frost depth (in)	
Adopted code and edition	

Never pre-filled: obtain each value for this site from the local building department.

LOADS NOTE

Structural design is by others. These drawings show layout and appearance; they are not an engineering design and are not stamped. Before building, your builder or a licensed engineer must obtain this site's ground snow load, wind speed, seismic design category and frost depth from the local building department and use them to size every beam, header, truss, post, footing and connection. Roof trusses are designed by the truss manufacturer. Build to the code your jurisdiction adopted.

STRUCTURAL GENERAL NOTES

- Light and ventilation: glazed area at least 8% of each habitable room (IRC R303.1); dwelling ventilation per IRC R303.4/M1505; kitchen local exhaust per R303.1/M1505 and ducted cooking exhaust per M1503. Verify to the locally adopted code with your builder.
- Structure by others: every beam, header, post, footing and connection is designed by the builder's licensed engineer.
- Wall heights, headers and overhangs are designed by the builder's engineer (openings over 10 ft wide are tagged ENG HDR).
- Roof trusses are designed by the truss manufacturer; truss drawings are submitted with the permit.
- Braced-wall / lateral design by the engineer, especially beside garage doors and window walls.
- Garage / shop separation per IRC R302.5 and R302.6 (see D1).

LAYOUT FEATURES AND NOTES

- Main-floor primary suite; two upstairs bedrooms and open office loft
- Two-car lower garage wing
- Flat ceiling under upper floor and guarded loft edge
- True two-story walls: 19-ft eave, 121-in floor to floor; the upper floor framing needs the interior bearing line S1 shows; floor trusses or I-joists and beams designed by others.
- Garage roof: ridge east-west with a 10-ft eave; it stops against the two-story right gable wall with step flashing; doors 9 x 8 ft.
- Porch roofs attach at about 11 ft, below the second-floor window sills.
- Garage/house separation (IRC R302.5-R302.6): 1/2 in gypsum on the garage side of the main house's east wall; D13 20-min rated, self-closing; the garage touches no bedroom on either floor.
- Stair opening edges on the upper floor need 36 in guards (R312); stair 36 in wide, risers 7-3/4 in max, treads 10 in min, 6 ft 8 in headroom (R311.7).
- Primary bedroom and bath downstairs; loft office is not a bedroom. Upper guard, stair, egress, upper floor framing and snow loading require local design.

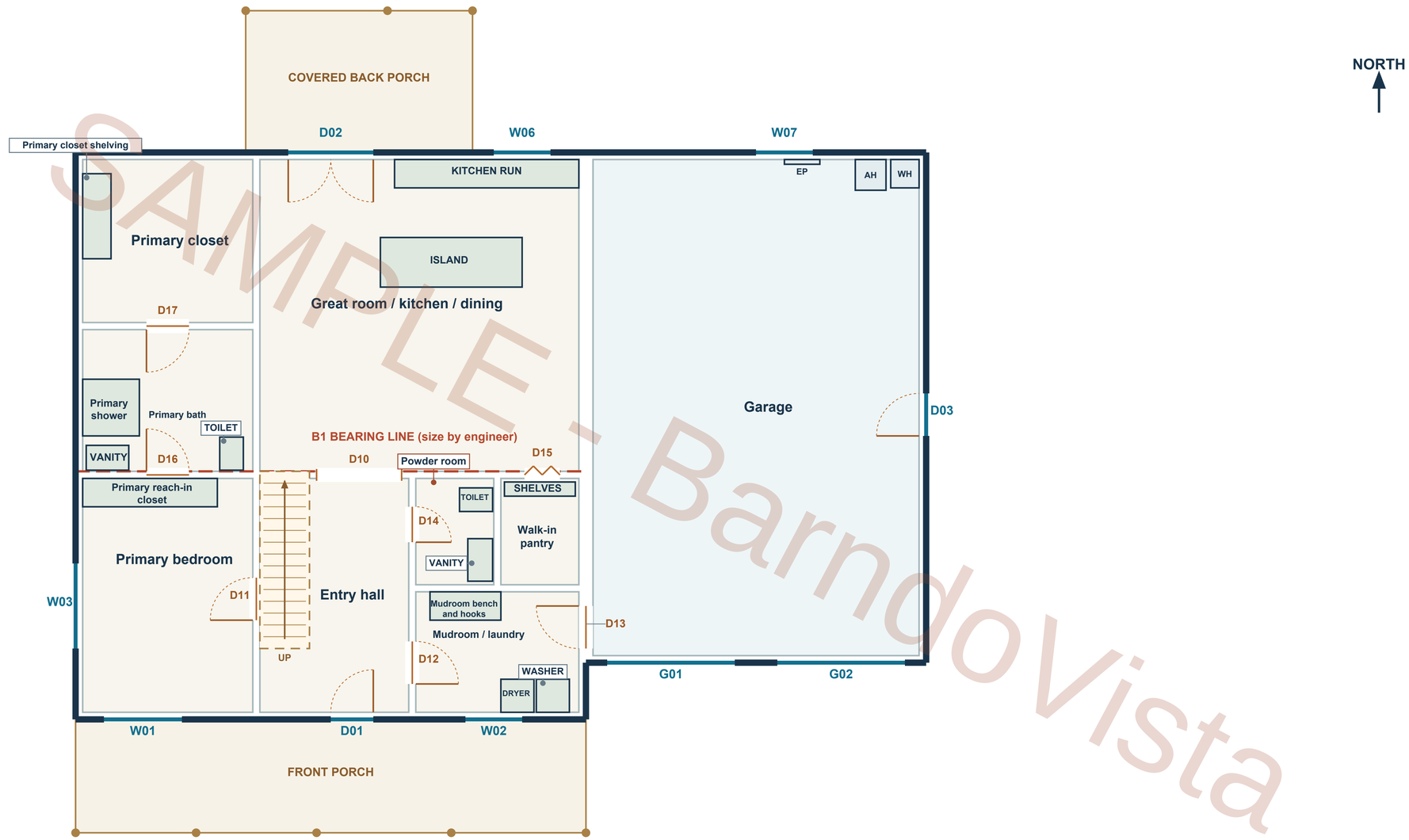
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Dimensioned floor plan

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Conventional stick framing; trusses, posts, beams and footings by the builder's engineer.

BEARING LINE (size by engineer)

ENG HDR = opening over 10 ft clear: header by your engineer

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A1 Dimensioned floor plan

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SCALE: 1/4" = 1'-0"

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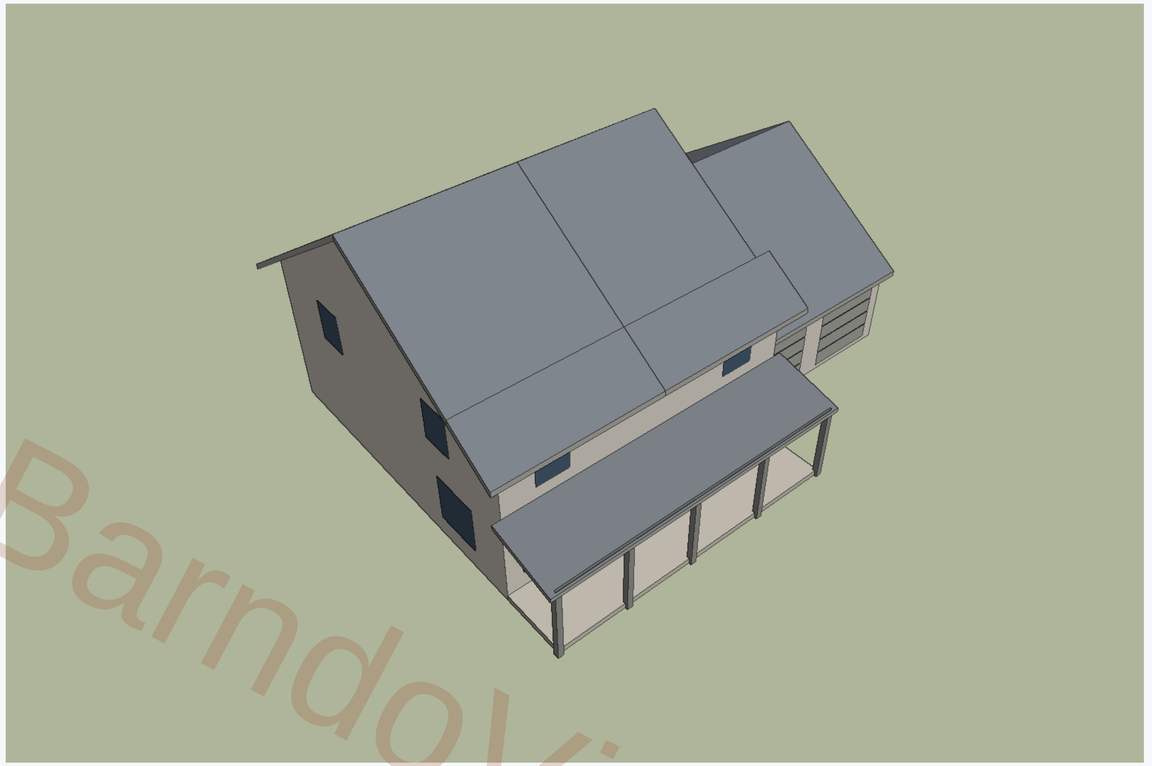
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Geometry illustration

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Front-left view: Massing from the plan (not a rendering)



Aerial view: Massing from the plan (not a rendering)

Illustration derives from main and wing rectangles; verify design and finish selections locally.

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V1 Geometry illustration

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